

STUDENTS' MEETINGS.

The Editor regrets to record that these have been very badly attended. In order to secure a better attendance, a definite subject for discussion will be proposed for each meeting. The following is a provisional list, but suggestions would be thankfully accepted. These meetings to be held at the Victoria A.B.C.

Saturday, September 26th, 4-30.—Amusements and entertainments for winter evenings.

Saturday, October 24th, 4-30.—The Religions of the World told as fairy stories.

Saturday, November 28th, 4-30.—The making of Christmas presents.

Saturday, December 19th.—Annual Meeting for electing officers, &c. This meeting will be held at some place to be announced later, and all members are earnestly *begged* to attend if in any way possible, especially those who were not able to attend the Ambleside Conference. The following subjects have been suggested for discussion at it:—

1. The duties of students to each other.
2. The compilation of a list of books found useful in Nature study. (This was asked for once at a Conference, and not one student present could give a comprehensive answer.)
3. Moral training on such points as—
 1. Playing cards for money and betting.
 2. Sunday customs.

A very successful students' meeting was held in London on Wednesday, July 29th, and the students who assembled had the pleasure of meeting Miss Hodgson. A discussion took place on the possibility of securing better paper, &c., for the Nature Note Books—further suggestions and applications should be addressed to Miss L. Armfield, at the Victoria Street Office.

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DEAR EDITOR,

You suggest in your letter to the students that "when in a district, where there are many students," that they should organise meetings. As I find there are ten or twelve students in the neighbourhood of Manchester, and the desire for such meetings has been expressed to me, I should be so glad to receive the names of any who would care to attend meetings should they be got up. I think Manchester is a central place to meet at, and Miss Dod, Mistress of Method at Owen's, thinks she may be able to put a room at our disposal. My idea is that the first meeting should be informal, and that afterwards we should discuss set subjects, but I should be glad to have ideas on this point. I doubt if we could meet more than once a term, but I think if we could organise such meetings, we might receive inspiration and help from one another.

Yours truly,

E. M. GARNIER.